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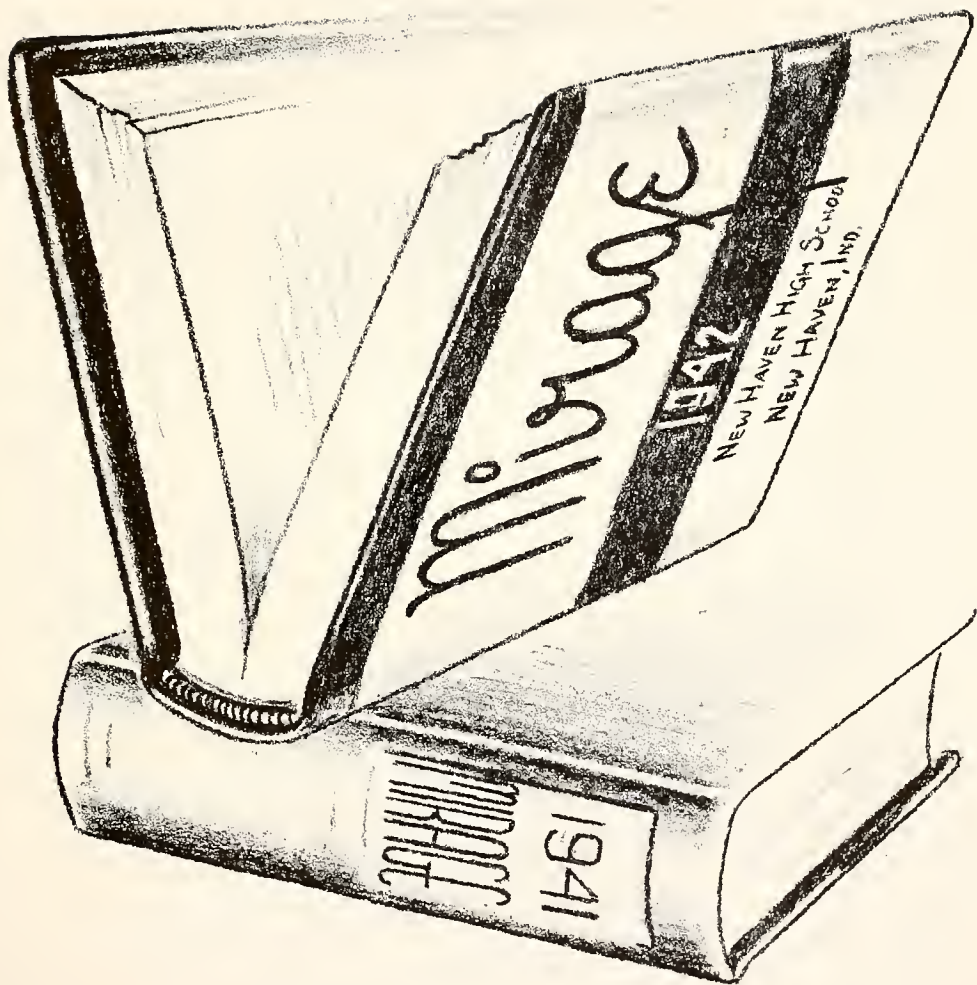


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MR. FRED C. WISSMAN

## DEDICATION TO OUR COLONEL

To a person whose pleasing personality, genuine understanding, and undying interest towards our school community win our admiration . . . To one who has untiringly labored for New Haven High School, whose principal and faculty have obtained a First Class Commission and gained admittance to the North Central Association . . . To the man who is responsible for our huge gymnasium, auditorium, new equipment, buses, recreation room, and band facilities . . . to Mr. Fred C. Wissman, trustee of Adams Township, we accredit our victories in New Haven High School . . . To him we dedicate this volume of the Mirage.



## FOREWORD

Because of the myriad influences of war upon the lives of the 1942 educational trainees the Mirage staff here presents a record of the accomplishments of the year, 1941-42, in the image of the "V" with the accompanying military terms.

The "Victory" symbol was first conceived by Victor de Laveleye, member of the Belgium Parliament, who escaped to London. There the symbol began its wildfire growth in July, 1941.

New Haven High School students continue to receive help in finding victorious methods and skills for living as mentally and physically prepared citizens in an ever intensifying "Victory" campaign.

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MR. JOHN H. YOUNG

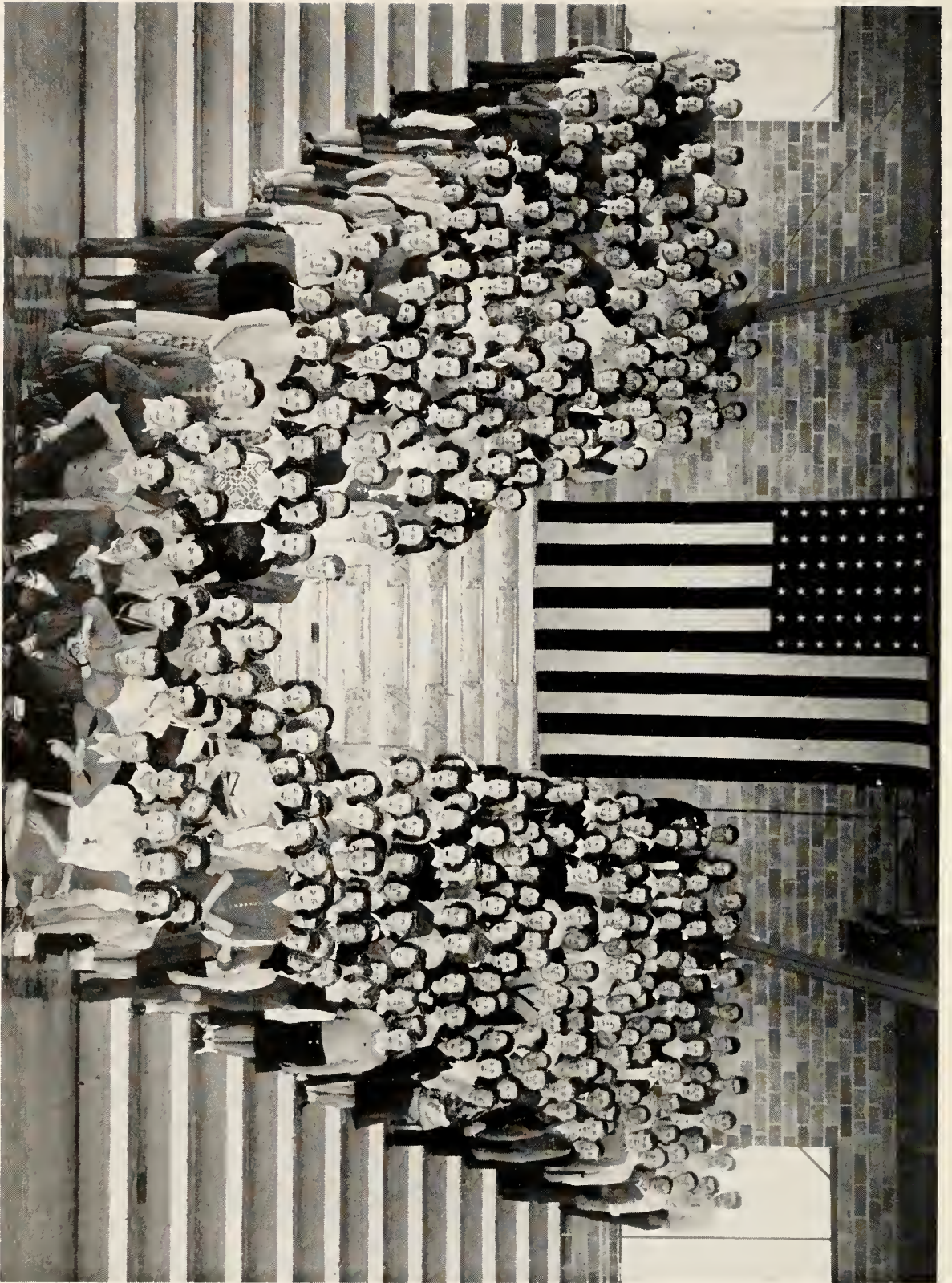
## A SALUTE TO OUR MAJOR

Victories in New Haven High School are in large measure due to the splendid leadership of our principal, Mr. Young, father, friend, and judge for the eight hundred grade and high school students.

Mr. Young started along the pathway to such leadership by playing football while attending Central High School of Fort Wayne. He graduated from Lafayette Central where he later taught in the grades for four years. The next three years were spent teaching the eighth grade at New Haven. During a year's leave of absence he secured a B. S. degree from Ball State Teacher's College where he played varsity football. Having taught in the High School here for three years, he was then made principal in 1939. His M. S. degree had been secured at Indiana University in 1936. Mr. Young has worked on his Ph. D. at Purdue one summer since then.

Much of the credit for our First Class Commission and membership in the North Central Association belongs to Mr. Young. During this year, he has acted as chairman of the North Central Association evaluating committee at Berne High School. He served as chairman of the registration board in New Haven for the wartime draft.

His hobbies are fishing, especially ice-fishing, golf, basketball, football, baseball, gardening, painting, and carpentering.



THE MILITARY FOUR HUNDRED

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## ADVISORY BOARD GENERAL



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1. Mr. Herbert Melcher is completing four years of service. He is cashier of the Peoples State Bank.

2. Mr. Wm. Lahmeyer, a farmer, has been helping Mr. Wissman for four years.

## OUR GENERAL

Mr. Kelro Whiteman is completing his seventh year as superintendent of the Allen County Schools.

3. Mr. Herman Schnelker is completing twelve years of service with the huge salary of \$5 per year.

# THE CAPTAINS' QUALIFICATIONS

B. S. degree: Mr. Marshall, Mr. Guthier, Mr. Pensinger, Mr. Downey,  
Mr. Feasel, Miss Walter, Miss Ainslie.  
A. B. degree: Miss Walker, Mrs. Redman, Miss Daniels, Miss  
Leininger, Miss Hathaway, Mr. Smith, Miss Barnett.  
M. S. degree: Mr. Young, Mr. Marshall, Mr. Downey, Mr. Smith.  
M. R. E. degree: Miss Barnett.

Education has been obtained from coast to coast: Washington to New York.

## INSTRUCTORS OF . . .

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SCIENCE: Mrs. Redman.  
MATHEMATICS: Mr. Marshall.  
LATIN, LIBRARY: Miss Walker.



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# MEET THE LIEUTENANTS

DAVID MOEHRING . . . "Dave", "Knobby" . . . class president 4, vice-president 3, Student Council 3, 4.

"Little said, much accomplished."

DONALD MILLER . . . "Don" . . . Senior vice-president, 4, president of Student Council 4, Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, Baseball 4 Lettermen's Club—vice-president 4.

"Romeo of the Senior Class."

BETTY GOEGLEIN . . . "Betsy" . . . class secretary 4, Sunshine Society 1, 2, 3, 4.

"We saw the things you did,  
But always you yourself you hid."

ROSS EHLE . . . "Rosie" . . . class treasurer 4, Mirage staff 4, Intramural sports 2, 3, 4, Junior, Senior play.

"Always ready, willing, and able."

ELI ADAMS . . . Band 2, 3, 4, Chorus 3, 4, Student Council 4, Band captain 4, Band librarian 3, Band sergeant 3, 4, Intramural 2, 3, 4, Junior, Senior play.

"Being captain of the Band  
Is not the easiest job to be had;  
But Eli did it the best  
So they gave him no rest."

BETTY RUTH AMSTUTZ . . . Best Citizen, Sunshine president 4, Sunshine Society, G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4, News Static, Junior Play, Mirage Staff 3, 4, Production Staff Senior Play, class treasurer 2.

"The Sunshine focuses on our best citizen as  
she walks quietly on her way."

ERVIN BEARMAN . . . Student Council 1, 2, 3, 4, Mirage Staff, Chairman Ring Committee, Chairman Finance Committee, Intra-mural 2, 3, 4.

"Efficient, Modest, and Wise."

BETTE BELL . . . "Sally" . . . Junior Play, Senior Play, Sunshine Society 2, 3, 4, News Static, Mirage Staff, Dancing 3 Chairman Invitations Committee 4, Student Librarian 3.

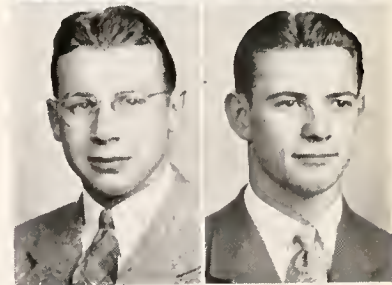
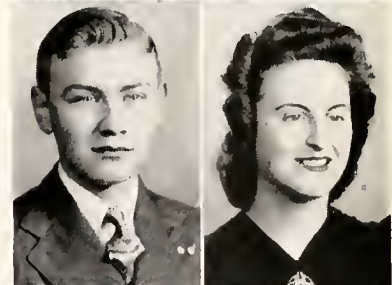
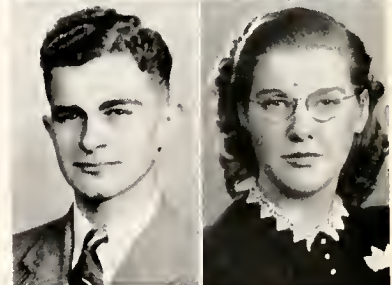
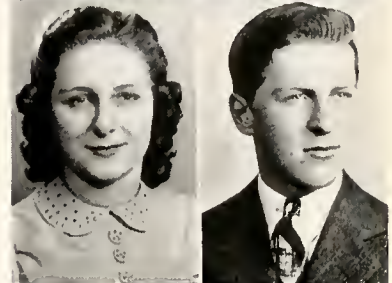
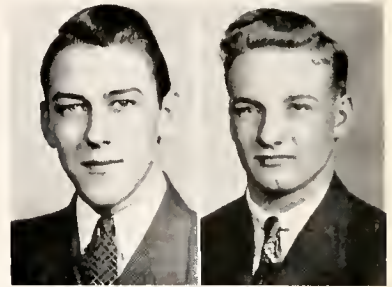
Expressive face, expressive eyes, You can  
tell by this that she is wise.

WAYNE BOCK . . . Station Attendant.

"Foot loose and fancy free."

WILLIAM BOLYARD . . . Band 1, 2, Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, Chorus, Lettermen's club 4, Junior Play, Plumber's Apprentice.

"There's mischief in him all the time,  
Having fun is down his line."





BETTY BRADTMILLER . . . "Betsy" Sunshine Society 1, 2, 3, 4.  
"A little bundle, but a mighty package of mischief."



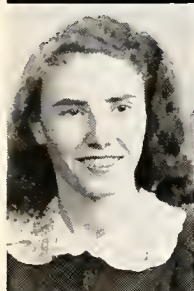
FRANKLIN BREMER . . . "Frank" . . . Intra-mural 2, 3, Farming.  
"Quiet, cool, and collected,  
He never needs Corrected."



LINDA DeREMÉR . . . "Blondie" . . . Senior Play, G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4,  
Sunshine Society 1, 2, 3, 4, News Static 3, 4, Mirage Staff,  
Kresges 10c Store.  
"That vivacious blond who takes  
advantage of her golden opportunity."



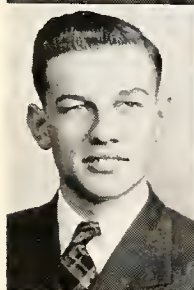
MILDRED DOEHRMAN . . . Sunshine Society 3, 4.  
"Rain or shine, she's always feeling fine."



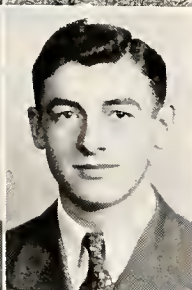
BONNIE DRISCOLL . . . Housework.  
"Bonnie always has fun chewing her Beechnut Gum."



WAYNE EDGAR . . . Intra-mural, Farming.  
"You can't hear him talk, but you can hear him walk."



RAYMOND EHINGER . . . "Ray" . . . Intra-mural, Farming.  
"Quiet till you know him."



DALE EHLE . . . "Lefty" . . . Baseball 4, Intra-mural 4, secretary,  
Letterman's club 4, Basketball 2, 3.  
"Tall, dark, thin,  
That's him."



ELEANOR FEDERSPIEL . . . News Static 3, 4.  
"She is the girl  
With many a curl,  
Who smiles so shy  
When you ask her why."



ALBERTA FIEDLER . . . Sunshine Society, News Static 3, 4.  
"Avoids the evils of idleness."

ALGUNDA FROSCHE . . . "Gunnie" . . . News Static 3, 4, editor  
Mirage Staff 3.

"She's very nice, we all agree,  
But why she likes tall boys, always baffles me."

HELEN FULTZ . . . G. A. A. 3, 4, Sunshine Society 3, 4, News Static,  
3, 4, Junior Play, Senior Play.

"She has a way about her that is all her own."

HELEN GERBER . . . "Effie" . . . class secretary 3, Mirage Staff,  
Sunshine Society 1, 2, 3, 4, G. A. A. 1, 2, 3.

"Always on the Cheerful side."

BERTHA GOEGLEIN . . . Sunshine Society 1, 2, 3, 4.

"Always neat and always witty,  
We all think she is very pretty."

MILTON GOEGLEIN . . . Intra-mural 2, 3, 4, Senior Play, Station  
Attendant.

"Not too shy, not too bold,  
But just right, so we're told."

KENNETH HAMMER . . . "Kenny" . . . Band 2, 3, 4, Chorus 2, 3,  
4, Senior Play, Intra-mural 2, 3, 4.

"I played the part of Uncle Sam, and that of  
Father Time, I feel the best in holey socks,  
And all the girls are mine."

NORMAN HARPER . . . "Brain" . . . class treasurer 3, Senior Play,  
Mirage Staff 4, Student Council 1.

"A quiz kid if there ever was one."

IONE HAWKINS . . . "Sadie" . . . Sunshine 1, 2, 3, 4, News Static  
3, 4, Kresge's.

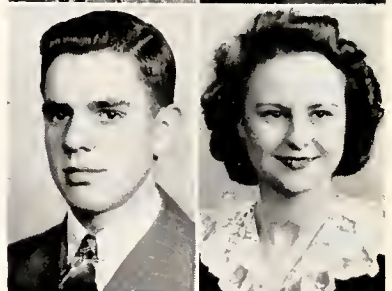
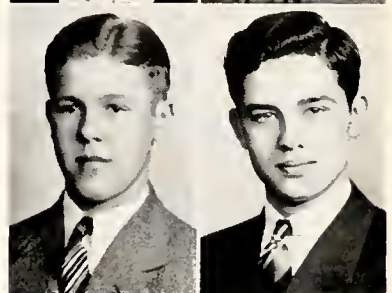
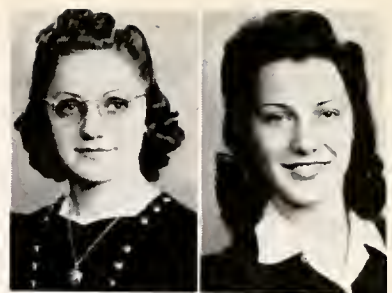
"A tall and friendly lass is she,  
A success in life she aims to be."

ARTHUR HEMSOTH . . . "Art" . . . Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, Baseball 4,  
Softball 2, 3, Letterman's Club 4.

"A straight shooter."

VONDALE HENRICKS . . . "Bean".

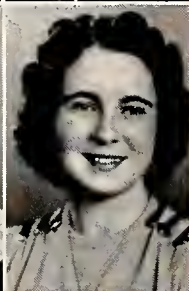
"Lady Luck has deserted me."



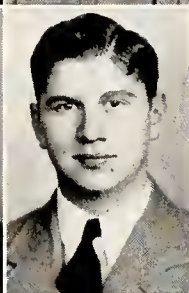




FLORENCE HOEVEL . . . G. A. A. 2, 3, 4, Intra-mural 1, 2, 3, 4.  
"Florence Quiet?? Riott!! Watch her deny it."



PARKS HOLT . . . "Porky" . . . Basketball 3, 4, Baseball 4, Letterman's Club 4, Restaurant.  
"Hoagland's gift to New Haven."



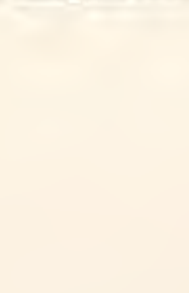
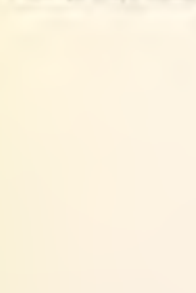
RUTH IRENE HUEY . . . "Ebenezer".  
"She always does her best."



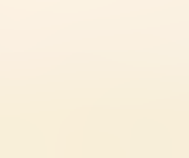
MARY JANE JUDT . . . News Static 2, 3, 4, Housework.  
"Hair of brown, eyes of blue,  
Faithful and loyal, Through and Through."



PAULINE KOHLENBERG . . . "Polly" . . . News Static 3, 4, Housework.  
"A sound thought sealed under her quietness."



DICK KRUECK . . . Basketball 2, 3, Student Manager 4, Junior Play.  
"Happy-go-lucky guy am I."



BETTY LARSON . . . "Bess" . . . Sunshine 1, 2, 3, 4, Class Secretary 1, News Static 4, G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Woolworth's.  
"That dimpling smile that fairly shouts."



WILMA LEPPER . . . Intra-mural 2, 3, 4, Mirage 4.  
"A typical Senior girl."



EVELYN LICHTSINN . . . "Eve" . . . Sunshine Society 1, 2, 3, 4, News Static 3, 4.  
"Always ready for a good time."



VERA LINKER . . . G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Mirage 2, 4, Intra-mural 3, 4.  
"She likes sports, blondes, and late hours."



RICHARD LONG . . . "Dick" . . . Bursley & Company.  
 "An innocent looking face, but you  
 never can tell."

BETTY LUGINBILL . . . Sunshine Society 1, 2, 3, 4.  
 "Cheeks all rosy, eyes of brown,  
 Never a truer friend to be found."

LAWERENCE McNETT . . . "Larry".  
 "Curly hair and a tricky smile."

JEAN MARTIN . . . "Jeannie" . . . Chorus 2, 3, 4, Sunshine 1, 2, 3, 4,  
 G. A. A. 1, Housework.  
 "She has what it takes."

OTTO MELCHER . . . "Ott" . . . Intra-mural 2, 4, Band 2, 3, 4,  
 Band Quartermaster 4, Chorus 3, 4, Farming.  
 "He likes them short, he likes them tall,  
 You and I know, he likes them all."

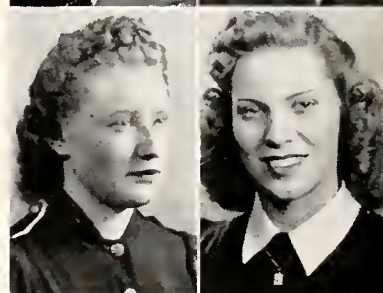
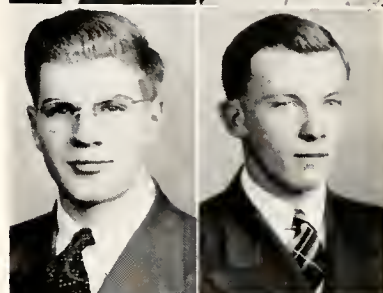
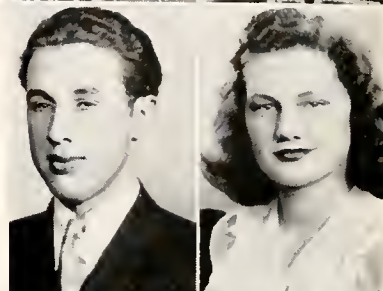
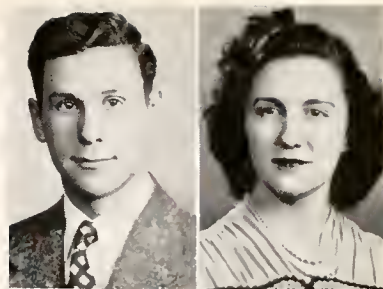
EDMUND MEYER . . . "Beeler" . . . Basketball 1, 2, 3, Softball 3, 4,  
 Baseball 4, Farming.  
 "Always in a daze and  
 sometimes in a dream."

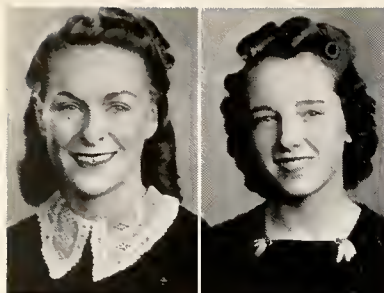
VIOLET MEYER . . . "Red" . . . Intra-mural 3.  
 "Never hurries, always late,  
 But she smiles and you wait."

JEANETTE MILLER . . . "Jeanne" . . . Intra-mural 1, 2.  
 "Always in a great haste, but never in a hurry."

VIRGINIA MILLER . . . "Ginnie" . . . Sunshine Society 4, News  
 Static 4.  
 "Neither noisy nor quiet,  
 But she is just right."

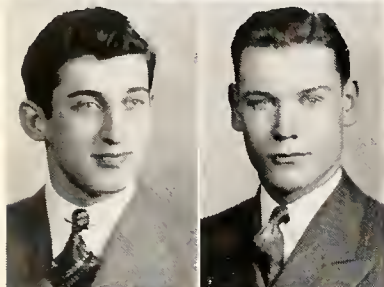
RUTH MINICK . . . News Static 3, 4, G. C. Murphy & Co.  
 "Silent and studious, always at work  
 There are no duties,  
 Which this lass would shirk."





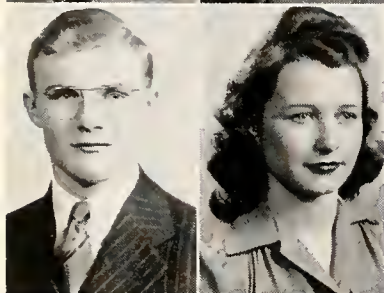
EVELYN MYERS . . . "Wimpy" . . . G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Intra-mural 2, 3, 4, Mirage 4.  
"Come on kids, let's win this game."

ALICE NIEMEYER . . . "Al" . . . Sunshine Society 4, News Static 3, 4.  
"Cute but quiet."



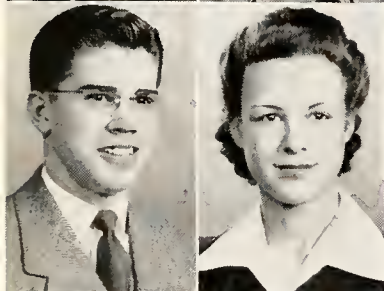
HAROLD PARKISON . . . "Parky" . . . Yell Leader 3, 4, class president 3, vice-president 1, Intra-mural 2, 4.  
"He is a great hunter, women are his game."

GEORGE PERKINS . . . Intra-mural 2, 4, Welding School.  
"My mind to me a kingdom is."



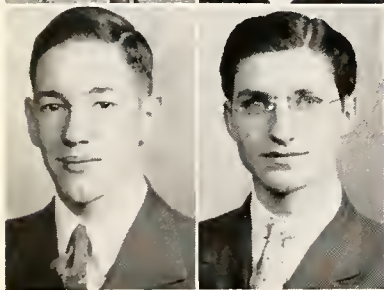
FREDERICK POEPPPEL . . . "Fritz" . . . Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, Baseball 4, Softball 2, 3, Lettermen's Club 4.  
"Faithful to his team, faithful to his friends, his loyalty and sportsmanship, will never need amends."

RUTH PRICE . . . "Ruthie" . . . Sunshine Society 2, 3, 4, Mirage 3, 4, Chorus 4, Junior Play, Senior Play, Price's Cafe.  
"Our little butterfly, here, there, and everywhere."



DANIEL PURVIS . . . "Dan" . . . Mirage 3 4, Senior Play, Purvis Drug Store.  
"Just give me a camera and——"

WANDA PUTMAN . . . "Sue" . . . Sunshine Society 1, 2, 3, 4, News Static 4, Sunshine vice-president 3, Mirage 1, 4, chairman Snowball Hop, Frank's.  
"Joyous and happy and lots of fun,  
She has a smile for everyone."



RONALD RAMSEY . . . "Ronnie" . . . Band 1, 2, 3, 4, Intra-mural 2, 3, 4, class president 2, Student Council 2, 3, Mirage 3, Band Student Director, Band Captain, Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4.  
"Humble toil and burden,  
duty makes perfect men."

RALPH RANSOME . . . Senior Play, Junior Play, N. Y. A. 3, 4, Old Fort Player.  
"He excells in art, and likes to sing,  
He has great knowledge of everything."

LELAH REBBER . . . "Le" . . . Sunshine Society 1, 2, 3, 4. News Static 3, G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4.

"Shes little, she's flighty,  
And rather mighty."

DONELDA REDIGER . . . "Donna" . . .

"She likes trips to Detroit in any season,  
Say, maybe she has a reason."

ROBERT REED . . . "Bob" . . .

"Home from school, to do the dishes,  
This seems to be his mother's wishes."

MILDRED ROHRER . . . "Irish" . . . News Static 4.

"I love to spend week-ends with friends,  
But all too soon they always end."

KENNETH ROSE . . .

"Often seen, but seldom heard."

RICHARD ROTHGEB . . . "Itchie" . . . Yell Leader 1, 2, 3, 4, Intra-mural 2, 3, 4, Mirage 4, Paper Route.

"He is known for his pleasing faults."

VIRGINIA RUHL . . . "Ginnie" . . . Sunshine Society 3, Mirage 4, Chorus 4, New Haven Bakery.

"She's fun to talk with, pretty to walk with,  
and awfully nice to know."

MARIAN SCHEIMAN . . . "Josephine" . . . Sunshine Society 1, 2, 3, 4, Intra-mural 1, 2, 3.

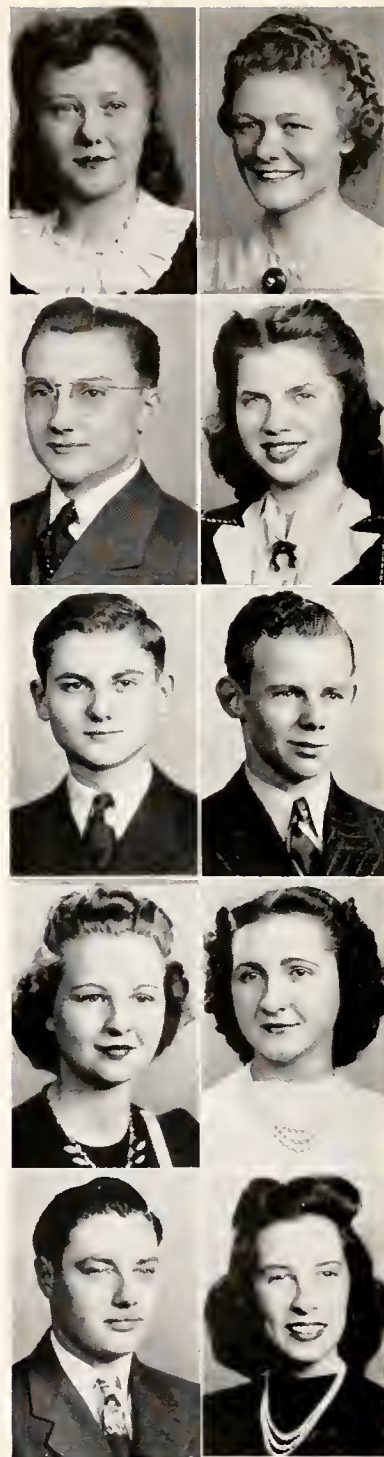
"A whiz on wheels."

BERNON SCHLINK . . . Student Manager 1, 2, 3, Intra-mural 2, 3, 4.

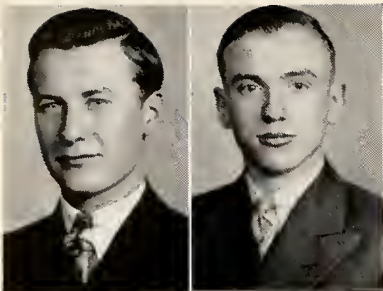
"Just beginning to work and anxious to stop."

RITA SCHLINK . . . "Peggy" . . . Sunshine Society 4, class treasurer 1, Kresge's.

"She's out of circulation."

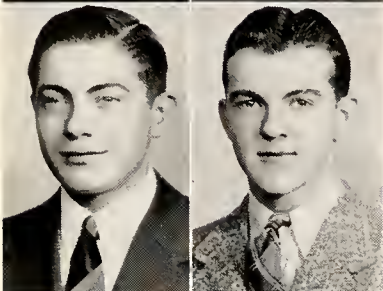






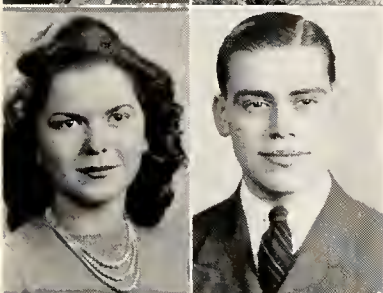
ARTHUR SCHMIDT . . . "Butch" . . . Intra-mural 2, 3, 4.  
"So you think he's quiet."

ELMER SEELIG . . . "Pee Wee" . . . Intra-mural 2, 3, 4.  
"Good things come in small packages."



ROBERT SCHROCK . . . "George" . . . Intra-mural 1, 2, 3, 4.  
"His tongue is always in motion,  
But seldom for the right thing."

RICHARD SNYDER . . . "Whoozit" . . . Librarian 4, News Static 3,  
4, St. John's C. Y. O.  
"Words just won't describe him."



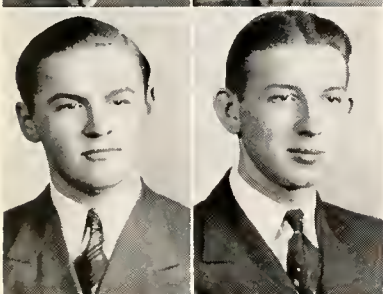
MARTHA STEMMLER . . . "Red" . . . G. A. A. 2, 3, 4, News Static  
2, 3, 4, Intra-mural 3, 4, May Queen 3.  
"She is happy like a wave dancing on the sea."

JOHN STUERZENBERGER . . . "Jackson" . . . Junior Play, Senior  
Play, St. John's C. Y. O.  
"Studies never bother him."



ELMER STELLHORN . . . "Butch" . . . president Lettermen's Club  
4, Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, Softball 2, 3.  
"It is not good that man be alone."

MILDRED THOMPSON . . . "Tommpy" . . . Sunshine Society 4,  
G. A. A. 1, Chorus 4, Frank Gardner's Colonial.  
"Very refined and a friend to everyone,  
Including teachers."



ADRIAN TUSTISON . . .  
"Chewing gum man."

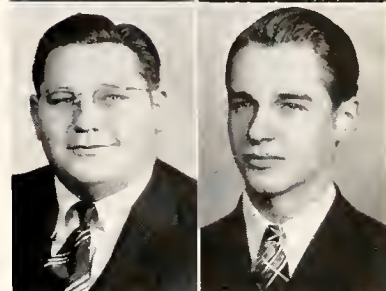
MAURICE VONDERAU . . . "Droop" . . . Softball 2, 3, Basketball  
1, 2, 3, Baseball 4, Student Council 4, Physics Specialist.  
"When pleasure and school clash,  
Let school go to smash."



BERNICE VOORS . . . "Dimples" . . . Sunshine Society 2, 3, 4, G. A.  
 A. 1, 2, Intra-mural 1, 2, 3, Chorus 4.  
 "A nice personality and a cute smile."

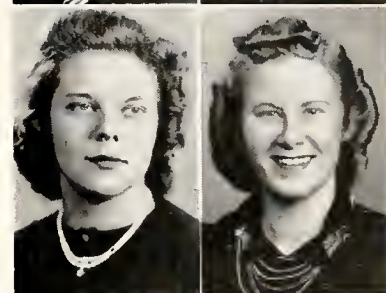


THOMAS WAGSTAFF . . . "Tom" . . . Mirage 2, 3, 4. Class vice-  
 president 2, Grocery clerk.  
 "He's quiet but Oh!"



HENRY WALTER . . . "Hank" . . . Student Manager 1, 2, 3, 4.  
 "Jolly, cheerful and a big tease,  
 Wherever he is, he is always at ease."

ROLAND WATERS . . .  
 "He may be short and rather small,  
 But his mind is one of the best of all."



DOROTHY WHETZMAN . . . "Judge" . . . Sunshine Society 1, 2, 3,  
 4, Intra-mural 1, 2, 3,  
 "And she cracked her gum."

BETTY WOOD . . . "Red" . . . Junior Play, Senior Play.  
 "A happy, carefree kind of girl,  
 Whose life is just a big  
 Glorious whirl."



JOSEPH WRIGHT . . . "Joe" . . . Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4. Team captain  
 4, Baseball 4, Lettermen's Club 4.  
 "In basketball he's captain, in school he's  
 not so slow, and though he's liked by all  
 the girls, he never stops, just goes!"

## ATTENTION

Each Lieutenant was asked to fill out a questionnaire giving his name, nick-name, and extra curricular activities. If he was employed, the kind of employment was given last.

A few words were then written about the person in an attempt to describe some outstanding characteristics of each individual.

# LIEUTENANT NEWS

"We have come a long way together, but our ways will soon part." This thought is in the minds of the 1942 Lieutenants as they come face to face with graduation.

The highest possible scholastic achievement at New Haven High is membership on the four year honor roll. We salute Betty Ruth Amstutz, Ervin Bearman, Bette Bell, Mildred Doehrman, Alberta Fiedler, Betty Goeglein, Norman Harper, Betty Larson, Ruth Minick, Harold Parkison, Wanda Putman, Ronald Ramsey, Lelah Rebber, and Elmer Seelig who merit this honor.

In 1941 eighty-seven of the original class of one-hundred-ten students returned. The class officers chosen were: David Moehring, president; Donald Miller, vice-president; Betty Goeglein, secretary; and Ross Ehle, treasurer. Bernon Schlink was elected chairman of Miss Hathaway's home room, and Norman Harper was elected in Mr. Feasel's room. During activity periods problems of interest to the seniors were discussed. Several quiz programs were given.

"Won't you buy a season basketball ticket from me?" "Would you like a pencil with the schedule of games, or a New Haven High School pin with the school colors?" The girls' smiles and the boys' high pressure won them recognition in salesmanship. That the Lieutenants have had a successful year was proved by the fact that they sold more season basketball tickets than any other group.

"Footloose", a three-act comedy dealing with the problems of a typical American family, was presented as the senior play on the afternoon and evening of December 4, 1941. Kenneth Hammer will long be remembered for his ironing board episode. Other members of the cast were: Helen Fultz, Ruth Price, Ralph Ransome, Betty Wood, Ross Ehle, Dan Purvis, Milton Goeglein, Linda DeRemer, Bette Bell, Norman Harper, Jean Martin, and John Stuerzenberger. Miss Leininger directed the production. The stage crew included Mildred Thompson, Ione Hawkins, and Eli Adams.

The Junior-Senior Banquet Reception, and the Senior Convocation were events looked forward to by the Lieutenants. On May 22 the seniors received their diplomas and an honorable discharge from the familiar halls.

You can hardly name an important school office which has not been held by some member of the senior class. Betty Ruth Amstutz was selected as best citizen by vote of the student body and faculty. She was also president of the Sunshine Society. Donald Miller presided over the many Student Council activities. Seven seniors were on the first string basketball team. Dan Purvis edited the *Mirage*. Algunda Frosch worked as editor of the *News Static*. Evelyn Myers was G. A. A. president and Elmer Stellhorn was president of the Lettermen's Club.

As this book goes to press, plans for a probable trip to Chicago are being laid by the Lieutenants.

As the years march on, the personnel of the New Haven Division will change, but the drive of the 1942 Lieutenants toward a continuing Victory Campaign will not stop just because their marching orders changed with high school graduation.

## THE SERGEANTS PUSH ON

"Onward to victory" is the slogan for the ninety-five juniors in training. The Sergeant Majors are Mr. Downey and Miss Barnett. Other persons awarded high rankings are Carl Freuchtenicht as president, Ethel Schnelker as vice-president, and Paul Bearman as treasurer. The three Staff Sergeants to the Student Council are Marion Lampe, Delores Schlink, and Paul Bearman.

"Two Cokes and two ice-cream bars!"

"Chocolate or butterscotch?"

"One of each, please!"

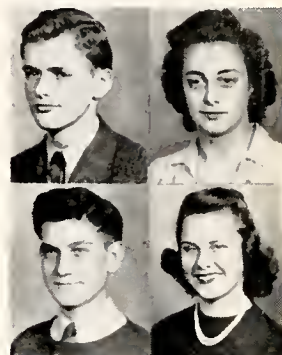
The juniors probably say such things in their dreams after their greatest year in the canteen, selling every noon and for every basketball game during the season. Anna Lee Groves acted as the administrator responsible for securing members of the class for salesmen. Faithful salesmen included: Merle Rigby, Roy Hart, Ed. Koester, Leroy Gerardot, Florence Ladig, Max Neidhardt, Alice Oberlin, Lois Amstutz, Ethel Schnelker, Eleanora Rebber, Leonora Rebber, Evelyn Rebber, Delores Rothgeb, Charles Bandelier, Kenneth Bandelier, Mildred Bowers, Verda Byers, Ruth Doty, Mary Ellen George, Arnold Heller, Frederick Hitzemann, Joan Hively, Richard Hoekemeyer, Mary Belle Hodson, Robert Kain, Carolyn Kollman, Maurice Krauskopf, Wilma McClain, Howard Zelt. For the first time in school history the canteen was operated during school day noon hours in the gym in addition to the candy counter operated on the main floor of the building.

For entertainment the class held a hayride wiener bake ending up around the campfire on the Bandelier farm outside New Haven one cool evening last fall. Food—ooh!

Junior boys elected to the varsity basketball team were Russell Meyers, Roland Bechtol, Charles Bandelier, Herbert and Hubert Burgette, "Fritz" Hitzemann. Carl Freuchtenicht was chosen cheer leader after try-outs against fourteen other contestants preceding the first basketball game in the fall.

The junior girls took honors by winning both the basketball and volleyball interclass tournaments. Delores Schlink was captain of the volleyball team. Other troop members were Alice Oberlin, Delores Rothgeb, Ethel Schnelker, Eleanora Rebber, Lois Amstutz, Bonnie Swihart, Julia Seddelmeyer, and Mary Belle Hodson. The basketball captain was Alice Oberlin and other members were: Delores Schlink, Bonnie Swihart, Eleda Stemmler, Ethel Schnelker, Eleanora Rebber, and Delores Rothgeb.

As the book goes to press they are engrossed in their play to be given April 17. "Cross My Heart" depicts the rebellion of seventeen year old Bob Adams and sixteen year old Eleanor Ross, who moves into the neighborhood, with all the worry entailed for both families. Alice Oberlin and Charles Winans have the leading roles for the matinee and evening performances.



Top Row, left to right: president, Carl Freuchtenicht, vice-president, Ethel Schnelker. Bottom Row, left to right: treasurer, Paul Bearman, secretary, Anna Lee Groves.



Other cast members are Peggy Neumann, Joan Hively, Russell Meyers, Edward Koester, Ruth Doty, Bonnie Swihart, Max Neidhart, Delores Schlink, Bonnie Adams, Paul Bearman, and Roy Hart. Miss Marge Eichel is coaching the play.

One of the most important ways in which each class group is made to feel its self-consciousness is through the home room system. The head sergeants for the junior home rooms are Howard Zelt and Paul Bearman. Miss Ainslie's group gave a number of interesting skits of school life during the fall term.



Top Row Left to Right:

Marylenora Albertson, Charles Bandelier, Dorothy Bearman, Roland Bechtol, Richard Beyer, Estella Bremer, Betty Brennan, Herbert Burgette.

Second Row:

Hubert Burgette, Verda Byers, Dick Critchfield, Alice Doctor, Ruth Doty, Don Dove, Mary Ellen George, Leroy Girardot.

Third Row:

Robert Hamilton, Ross Hamm, Roy Hart, Henry Hartman, Lois Hathaway, June Headford, Arnold Heller, Fritz Hitzemann.

Fourth Row:

Joan Hively, Richard Hockemeyer, Mary Belle Hodson, Virginia Hutson, Juanita Jump, Robert Kain, Edward Koester, Carolyn Kollman.

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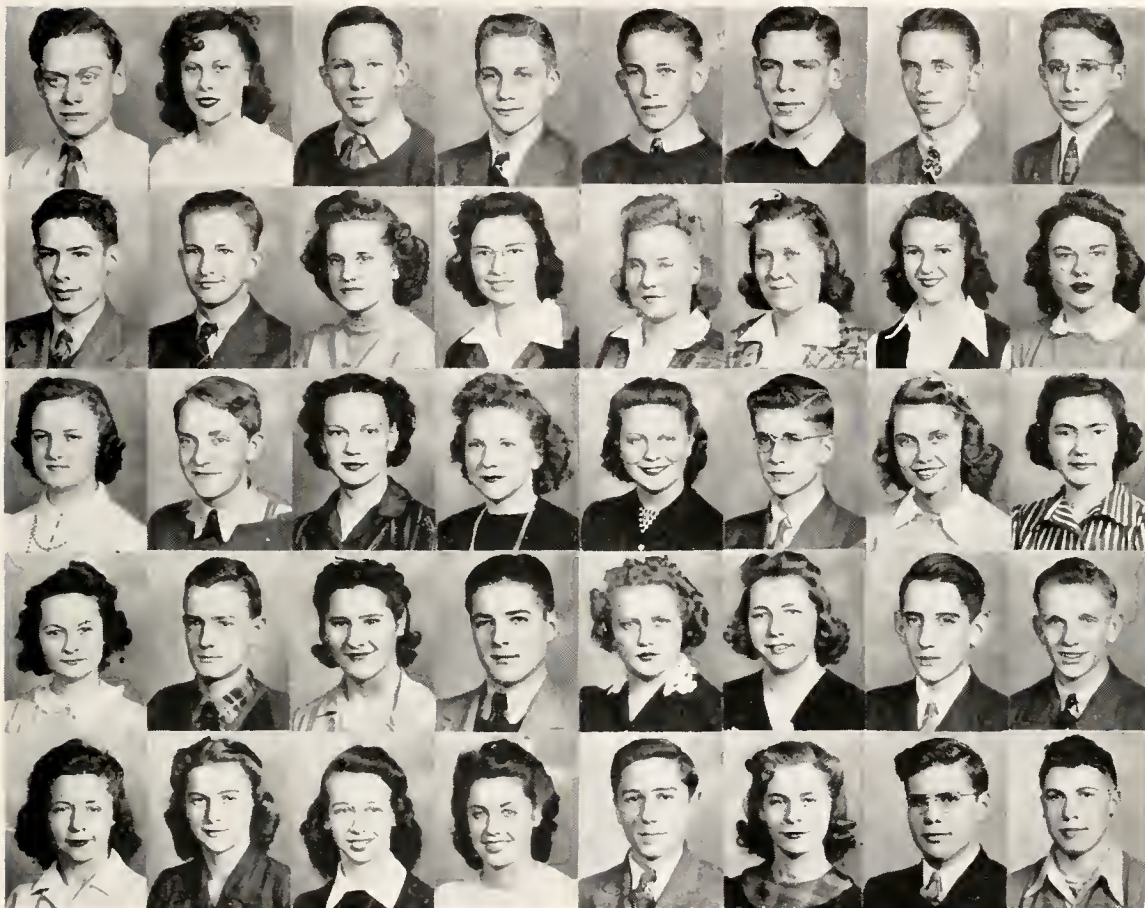
Florence Ladig, Paul Ladig, Marian Lampe, Dorothy Lepper, Eugene Lepper, Ed. Long, Wilma McClain, Gloria McDougall.

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Working their way to the top are Sergeants Bonnie Adams, Paul Bearman, Virginia Hutson, and Evelyn Rebber. They have had an average of two A's and two B's for each six weeks period of the fall semester.

One of the prettiest events of the whole year is the May Day Dance held on the evening of May first. The whole school votes upon a Junior girl who shall rule as May Queen for that evening and the year following. She has an attendant from each of the other classes. This year the students elected Verda Byers for that honor.



Top Row Left to Right:

Orville McFadden, Betty Marckel, Bruce Masters, Howard Menking, Martin Messman, Russell Meyer, Chester Miller, Paul Milliman.

Second Row:

Jimmy Marrow, Max Neidhardt, Alice Oberlin, Evelyn Rebber, Eleonora Rebber, Leonora Rebber, Delores Rothgeb, Delores Schlink.

Third Row:

Julia Seddelmeyer, Walter Seemann, Irene Sommers, Helen Stauffer, Eleda Stemmler, Noah Swartz, Bonnie Swihart, Rosie Thomas.

Fourth Row:

Glenna Tustison, Edward Ulmer, Lois Urey, Max Ward, Evelyn Wetzel, Gloria Wiegmann, Charles Winans, Howard Zelt.

Bottom Row:

Bonnie Adams, Lois Amstutz, Mildred Bowers, Exilda Deatruck, Harry Gantz, Peggy Neumann, Don Motter, Clayton Lewis.

Absentees:

Kenneth Bandelier, June Bolinger, Marlo Gene Felt, Maurice Krauskopf, Lloyd Melcher, Merle Rigby, Marshall Thimlar, Dallas Wiebel, Marjorie Jean Willit.

# CORPORALS



Top row, left to right: Alvena Wagstaff, Barbara Seibert, Elna Becker, Maxine Girardot, Rosella Falls, Marilyn Franke, Dorothy Boyd, Elsie Glass, Albert Gasper, Robert Robinson. Second row: Elsie Bockelman, Kathleen Coleman, Joan Bandelier, Betty Scheiman, Phyllis Edgar, Rita Gerardot, Coletta Gerardot, Delores Disler, Veda Mae Albertson, Robert Rose. Third row: William Goegelein, Walter Wiegmann, Leon DeRemer, Robert Jacquay, Bernard Brames, Kenneth Barhydt, William Anweiler, Norman Schnitker, Parnell Dager. Fourth row: Vernon Rebber, Lawrence Scroggiam, John Wright, Edward Critchfield, Max Wright, Virgil Asher, Harold Vondran, Lawrence Bradtmueller. Bottom row: Clayton Bridges, Cecil Green, Joseph Isenbarger, Curtis Frost, Richard Byers, Melvin Frosch, Harold Bleke, James Schnelker, Devon Frame.

Leading Corporal troops this year were the sophomores: William Goegelein, president; Pauline Werling, vice-president; Jean Larson, secretary; and Joseph Isenbarger, treasurer. Mrs. Delia Redman and Mr. Leslie Pen-singer acted as Captains. The three representatives to the Student Council were Betty Kuhl, Marilyn Franke, and Jim Schrader.

Our home room programs are quite extensive emphasizing extra-curricular activities, religion, use of leisure time, patriotism, personality, grooming, and other subjects which make for a well rounded life.

Mr. Smith, the coach, used Tom Baillie, Max Wright, Devon Frame, Wallace Quandt, Richard Byers, and Dewane Thompson in basketball.



# ADVANCE



Top row, left to right: Clifford Swears, Donald Minick, Stanley Spohr, Kenneth Rosswurm, Harold Hoevel, Lamont Stoneburner, Russell Schweyer, Gaylord Heine, Russell Jacquay, James Schrader. Second row: Edmund Ortlieb, Dewane Thompson, Glen Peck, Robert Marrow, Donald Stellhorn, Vernon Schafer, Jay Hodson, Stanley Harper, Wallace Quandt. Third row: Orilla Lake, Rose Edna Kain, Norbert Koenig, Dale Millington, Margaret Seelig, Virginia Schlaudroff, Betty Rathbun, Betty Kuhl, Joan Krug, Donnabelle Kitchen. Fourth row: Elna Schaper, Waldemar Heller, Virginia Parks, Jean Larson, Mildred Nuttle, Rosalie Schnelker, Clara Ransome, Pauline Werling, Alice Tieman, Ruby Long. Bottom row: Mrs. Redman, Evelyn Kain, Norma Milliman, Gene Loudon, LaDonna Robinett, Alma Vodde, Marcile Springer, Gladys Springer, Marie McBride. Absent-sees: Tom Baillie, Betty Cook, Betty Rose Hyser, Delores Lange, Robert Wells.

We have some real athletes among our girls too. They are: Maxine Gerardot, Joann Bandelier, Alma Vodde, Betty Scheiman, Jean Larson, Margaret Seelig, Rose Edna Kain, and Marilyn Franke. Alice Tieman acted as treasurer of the G. A. A.

We have elected Pauline Werling as attendant for the May Queen.

If you ask what we did for fun we would tell of the wiener roast in Schnelker's woods after school Wednesday evening, October 1, 1941. Miss Walker's division worked out games, Mrs. Redman's brought hotdogs, and Mr. Pensinger and his scouts built the fire.

In March the last skating party was held in spite of the scarcity of auto tires.



# THE PRIVATES

The Freshman Class for 1941-1942 consisting of 118 privates, is sponsored by Mr. Marshall and Miss Leininger. They met soon after the beginning of the school term and elected the following officers: Vivian Mehring, president; Lyle Ramsey, vice-president; Dick Adams, treasurer; Lucille Hathaway, secretary.

The class is divided into three different divisions with Mr. Marshall, Miss Leininger, and Mr. Smith each supervising a division. Each division has a chairman and a representative in Student Council. Genevieve Ehinger is chairman and Iona Bohn, Student Council representative in Mr. Marshall's Division. In Miss Leininger's Division the chairman is Wayne Judd and Bernice Lepper is Student Council representative. In Mr. Smith's Division Charles Romine is chairman, while Ruth Wright is the Student Council representative.



Top row, left to right: David Kelly, Dewey Blackburn, Ted Butt, Howard Bradtmiller, Alvin Burkett, Paul Bleke, Don Bauserman, Joe Bolyard, Dick Adams. Second row: Russel Griffith, Edward Bohde, Obie Bridges, Robert Bruick, Roland Arnold, Ervin Berning, William McIver, Donald Cheviron, Theodore Lichtsinn, Neal Martin. Third row: Charles Albertson, Kenneth Galligher, Patricia Deatrick, Kathleen Goeglein, Jean Bowser, Nancy Moreland, Delores McClain, Joan Copp, Gloria Dressen, Bernice Lepper, Robert Girardot, Romaine Deitering. Fourth row: Marjorie Myers, Phyllis Menking, Marcille Bearman, Iona Bohn, Evelyn Forsyth, Alvena Kanning, Ladonna Coonrod, Helen Larimore, Gloria Fry, Leonard Deininger, Mr. Marshall. Bottom row: Genevieve Ehinger, Vivian Mehring, Barbara Asher, Elaine Lampe, Audrey Hetrick, Ellen Griffith, Dorothy Buhr, Gladys Fiedler, Jack Birt.

# LEAD ON

One major accomplishment of the class came early in October when they had the first skating party of the year at which they set a new all-time record with three hundred thirty-one tickets. They came in second to the seniors in the sale of season basketball tickets.

Nine embryonic bulldogs received freshmen numerals for their work during the basketball season. These smooth players chalked up ten wins in eleven starts against teams from northern Indiana. Mr. Feasel acted as coach. High scorers were: Wayne Stellhorn, Dick Jump, Wayne Judt, Joe Bolyard, Richard Miller, Elvin Meyer, Roland Arnold, Jack Birt, and Dick Adams. Defeating the Sophomores in the Interclass Tournament just before State Basketball Finals was a great thrill.



Top row, left to right: Jack Halter, Robert Sipe, Willard Scott, Donald Hoevel, Erhart Scheeler, Charles Romine, Virgil McFadden, Virgil McIntosh, William Scott, Donald Hill. Second row: Elmer Remenschneider, Charles Klenke, Donald Rose, Elvin Meyer, Dick Jump, Donald Spohr, Wayne Stellhorn, Robert Heath, George Krock, Richard Henderson, Grover Love. Third row: Kenneth Niemeyer, Wayne Judt, Richard Miller, Stanley Rosswurm, Mary Mason, Margery Springer, Beverly Ruehart, Delores Van Meter, Lorenz Stemmler, Charles Rediger, Daniel Johnson. Fourth row: Phyllis Shadle, Ruth Wright, Audine Roemer, Margaret Harden, Virginia Reed, Norma Stegman, Laura Stemmler, Rita Jean Henry, Lillian Petry, Julia Van Meter. Bottom: Alvin Lepper, Lois Oberlin, Berneda Rohrbach, Louise Weibel, Charlene Stoneburner, Donna Jean Hawk, Juanita Passwater, Jane Thimlar, Lucille Hathaway, Lyle Ramsey, Miss Leininger. Absentees: Ralph Braun, Roy McBride, Arnold Oberley, Albert Oetting, Richard Riebersal, Robert Secrest, George Vachon.



# MAINTENANCE



Mr. Fred Rohrbaugh



Top: Secretary, Mary Virginia Kallmyer.  
Lower, left to right: Mrs. Dorothy Hinricks,  
Mrs. Julia Warton, Mrs. Jane Coburn, Mrs. Ola  
Wooderson, Mrs. G. Grish.



Mr. Charles Hall  
Mr. Lee Burgettè



# COMMISSARY IN ACTION

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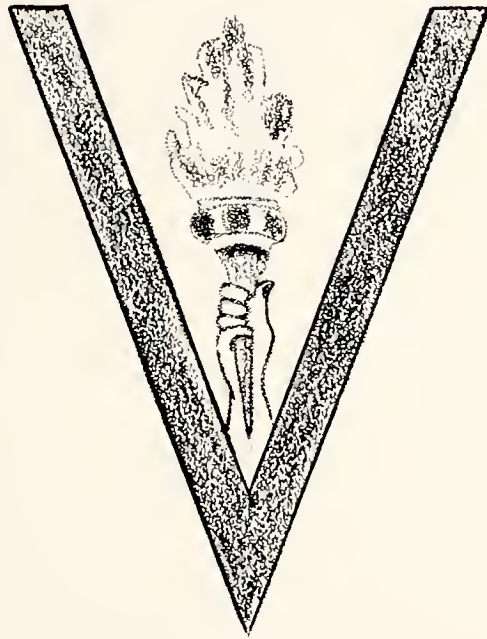
Louis Schlink  
Fred Linker  
Clem Blaising  
Emmet Love  
Orville Sturm



## BUS DRIVERS

Christ Meyer  
George Judt  
Arthur Becker  
George Sturm  
Kenneth Sturm





# ORGANIZATIONS

# THEY MAP OUR ACTIVITIES

The Student Council might well be called the U. S. O. branch of our school. A few years ago the Student Council was just an organization without any power and without meaning. From an organization of class presidents and vice-presidents it has grown to a membership of twenty and has taken on new responsibilities.

Some of the present duties of the Student Council are: to plan assembly programs, give dances, and be responsible for monitors on hall duty. Here are a few of the programs that the Student Council have planned this year: The Orientation program at the beginning of the year was the first devotional service of the year with Rev. Wiese as the speaker. The Council gave a program to acquaint Freshmen with the organizations in our school. The president of each gave a short talk on the purpose of the group which he represented. At the beginning of the basketball season Mr. Smith introduced his prospective basketball team. This program was to introduce the sale of basketball tickets and to foster the school basketball spirit. The Speech Class and chorus gave a devotional program at Christmas time. Rev. Mr. Fribley was the speaker at the Easter Devotional Service.

The dances supervised by Student Council included a Sport dance held for the first time in the Recreation Room after the Decatur game November 14. The annual Snow Ball Hop was held at Christmas time. This dance was also held in the recreation room. Games were played in the band room. A Christmas tree was placed in the main hall of the school and wreaths hung in each corridor.

With the beginning of Dancing Classes in January, a new Course was added to New Haven. The instructor of these classes was Mrs. Nell Green, of the Nell Green Dancing School.

The annual May Day Dance was held on May 1st. The Queen elected

for this dance by the entire student body was Verda Byers of the Junior class who will reign until the May dance next year.

It was through the efforts of the Student Council and the Sunshine Society that we have our present system of monitors on hall duty each period of the day.

It is the aim of the Student Council to have every one in school work on a committee for a program sometime during the year.

The officers of the Council are: president, Donald Miller; vice-president, Delores Schlink; secretary, Marian Lampe; treasurer, Ervin Bearman.



Seated, left to right: Lyle Ramsey (in front), Ione Bohn, Ervin Bearman, Vivian Mehring, Don Miller, Delores Schlink, Marian Lampe, Bernice Lepper, Ruth Wright. Standing, left to right: Eli Adams, David Moehring, Paul Bearman, Carl Fruechtenicht, Maurice Vonderau, William Gogglein, Jim Schrader, Miss Daniels, Betty Kuhl, Marilyn Franke.

# THEY SERVE WITH A SMILE

"With love in my heart, forgetting self and with charity for all, I will make the object of my life helpfulness and kindness to others. I shall try to fit myself to give intelligent service in making my community a safer and more beautiful place in which to live. Thus will my own life be rich and complete." This quotation, the Sunshine creed, states the ideals of the society.

The girls entertained fifty children at their annual charity Christmas party. Each child received gifts of toys, candy, gum, ice cream, a carton of cokes, and clothing. Carols were sung by Sunshine members in the Fort Wayne hospitals during this season too. Food

baskets and flowers have been given during the year to people in the community.

Membership was increased to approximately seventy-eight with the initiation and installation of officers on October 6, at the Calvary Church. The past president presided and presented pins which symbolized the offices to Betty Ruth Amstutz, president; Bonnie Adams, vice-president; Jean Larson, secretary; Helen Gerber, treasurer; and Alyena Wagstaff, publicity chairman. Miss Rowena Walker and Miss Grace Ainslie, district dean of Sunshine Societies in the state served as advisors.

"Courtesy Week" with blackboard jingles and reminders was enthusiastically received by the student body during late January.

A movie, skating parties, a bake sale, a gift shop, and school pins were a few of the money-making activities carried on by the society.



Top row: B. Swihart, E. Becker, K. Coleman, L. Rebber, I. Hawkins, L. Amstutz, E. Rebber, M. Thompson, B. Scheiman, J. Bandelier, R. Schnelker, J. Copp, N. Milliman, D. Boyd, V. Mehring, P. Edgar, C. Stoneburner, P. Menking. Second row: R. Doty, V. Hutson, M. Lampe, R. Schlink, B. Voors, D. Weitzman, P. Neumann, M. Mason, L. Urey, E. Bremer, E. Schnelker, H. Stauffer, C. Kollman, E. Wetzel, B. Asher, B. Seibert, M. Seebig. Third row: A. L. Groves, G. Tustison, G. Loudon, G. Dressen, J. Bowser, M. Springer, R. Wright, L. DeRemer, H. Fultz, B. Larson, J. Martin, V. Schlandroff, M. Springer, V. Reed, I. Bohn, M. Myers. Fourth row: D. Schlink, J. Hively, E. Kain, P. Shadle, M. B. Hodson, J. Headford, K. Goeglein, V. Miller, B. Goeglein, L. Rebber, A. Niemeyer, J. Van Meter, B. Goeglein, M. Doehrmann, B. Rathbun, D. Disler, D. Van Meter. Fifth row: Miss Ainslie, B. Bell, W. Putman, A. Fiedler, A. Wagstaff, B. Adams, B. R. Amstutz, J. Larson, H. Gerber, B. Bradtmiller, M. Nuttle, Miss Walker, L. Petry. Bottom row: B. Luginbill, L. Robinett, A. Vodde, G. Fiedler, M. Scheiman, E. Lichtsinn, J. Passwater, E. Forsyth, L. Coonrod, R. Henry, H. Larimore, A. Kanning.



# MUSIC HELPS MORALE



Bottom row, left to right: R. Price, M. Willitt, B. Bradtmiller, J. Martin, J. Seddelmeyer, L. Ulrey, V. Hutson, B. Adams, Mr. Guthrie. Second row: K. Coleman, D. Rediger, M. Thompson, V. Ruhl, J. Headford, B. Wheeler, B. Voors, R. Hockemeyer, R. Ramsey, R. Bechtol. Top row: L. Robinett, A. Doctor, R. Doty, D. Schlink, B. Swihart, E. Adams, O. Melcher, K. Hammer. Absentees: D. Krueck, E. Schmelker.

## CHORUS

Chorus convenes fifth period every day. Although only amateurs we have made several public appearances. Perhaps the best known to most of us was Baccalaureate. However, we also presented programs at the Allen County Teacher's Institute and at a Parent-Teacher's meeting. Of course, more familiar to us are the programs presented before the student body. Our first took place on October 16, 1941, at the launching of the sale of basketball tickets. At this time we presented our Alma Mater to the school with the lyrics by Dick Krueck and Marlo Gene Felt, two chorus members, and music from "Finlandia" by Jan Sibelius. Our next program was given with the speech class at Christmas. The chorus was also called upon to sing at our Easter devotional service held April 2. In all we have twenty-eight members in the chorus.

## BAND

Our band, two and one-half years old, is the largest in the county



Front row, left to right: L. Ramsey, R. Doty, G. Tustison, L. Robinett, B. Asher. Second row: N. Schnitker, R. Norris, T. Butt, J. Bauserman, D. Fry, G. Momper, P. Menking, V. Asher, B. Rathbun, B. Adams. Third row: S. Groves, E. Kain, B. Swihart, A. L. Groves, A. Seltenright, A. J. Schooley, E. Scheeler, J. Glaze, J. Larson, E. Critchfield, N. Meyers, G. Headford, J. Critchfield. Fourth row: D. Dixler, M. Rathbun, D. Boyd, K. Hammer, D. Critchfield, D. Blackburn, E. Glass, L. Melcher, R. Arnold, R. Hockemeyer, M. Wright, D. Adams, H. Menking, E. Adams. Back row: B. Smith, V. Mehring, R. Hill, L. Bradtmueller, J. Hawkins, V. Hutson. Seated: N. Martin, R. Ramsey, L. Stemmiller, W. Green, N. Swartz, O. Melcher, and P. Milliman.



with fifty-nine members and the fullest instrumentation of any high school band in this section. In addition to the Concert Band there are two other bands; the Junior Band, and the Beginner's Band. Mr. Guthrie directs.

Fifty-five members of the Concert Band, six drum majorettes, two flag twirlers, one drum major and six members of the color guard complete the roster of the Marching Band. In parade formation the band uses the entire length of one large city block. By being invited to march in the Van Wert Peony Festival and the State Volunteer Fireman's Convention parade at Bremen, Indiana, the band gained high honors and distinction. After distinction at Bremen, we played a concert at Markle, Indiana. The band played for Zollner Piston softball and basketball games.

The most popular of the three bands is the Maneuvering Band. There are thirty-two regulars, eight reserves, six drum majorettes, two flag twirlers, and a drum major who complete the roster. The ideas introduced by the band were an American version of the goose step, singing of the school's new Alma Mater Song while maneuvering, the use of lights for a blackout maneuver, and the use of characters to express an idea.



First row, left to right: L. Asher. Second row: D. Mehring, N. Moreland. Third row: A. Wagstaff, V. Parks, D. McClain, N. Milliman, J. Copp, B. Scheiman.

The rapid growth of the band has led to new problems which must be overcome. To facilitate these problems, officers for the band were chosen. Ronald Ramsey was elected student conductor; Eli Adams was elected band captain; Otto Melcher, the quartermaster; Bonnie Adams, business manager; Norman Schnitker, band librarian.

Four members of the band who will graduate this year are Eli Adams, Ronald Ramsey, Kenneth Hammer and Otto Melcher.

Much of the credit for the progress of this band is due to the work of Mr. Fred C. Wissman, the trustee, and the co-operation of the Band Parents Association.



# P. T. A. ENGINEERS MARCH ON

"America must be strong . . . in body, mind, and spirit . . . For that America these children and young people of ours must become strong, loyal, wise, tolerant . . ."

Thus reads the purpose of that loyal group, the Parent-Teacher Association with its one-hundred sixty-two members. The year started with a banquet in the gymnasium Monday night, October 6, 1941. Mr. Young was toastmaster and called upon representatives of the Booster Club, Girl Scouts, Lions Club, Band Association, Boy Scouts, Student Council, Parent-Teacher Association, and the Ministerial group to tell how they "Learn to Work and Play Together."

In November "Becoming Good Citizens" was stressed with solo numbers by members of the music department, by presentation of the junior band, and by Mr. A. A. Cordier's interesting lecture on the Highlights of his South American trip.

Brightly colored bells, trees, stars, and poinsettias divided the large group who came to the recreation room for the Christmas party. People were literally tied together in pairs, they drew the queerest looking animals, and oh, the noise! Carol singing, the reading of a Christmas story by Mrs. Fern Smith and refreshments made for Good-Will toward all.

In the auditorium in January the head of the United States Employment office in Fort Wayne, Mr. John Giere, gave many helpful suggestions for securing and keeping a position.

The first six grades put on a circus in the gym for the February meeting. Uncle Sam led a real pony at the head of a parade. The first grade put on a monkey act, the second—an elephant, the third—the rhythm band, the fourth—a marching drill, the fifth—a clown act, and the sixth—a tumbling performance.

"Ooh, ooh! I'm afraid!" was the theme of the one act play, "The Burglar", written by Miss Margaret Cameron and presented by the seventh and eighth grade girls for the following monthly meeting. The play followed a description of the work done by Judge Harry H. Hilgemann, of the Juvenile court.

That was in April. Between then and the time school is out all pre-school children will be brought to the school for medical examinations and the annual Open House will be held at the school on Tuesday evening, May 5. Each room will display the work done during the year.

Leaders responsible for the Parent-Teacher group this year have been: Mrs. P. E. Miller, president; Mrs. Lloyd David, vice-president; Mrs. Fred Schnitker, secretary; and Mr. Paul Craig, treasurer.



# THEY DISPATCH OUR NEWS

A victorious addition to our school is the News Static, a monthly school paper, published the week of the twenty-third with plenty of news and chatter for five cents a copy. The paper was first published in 1930-31 and reorganized in 1941.

The staff members volunteer their time and efforts at noon hours, study periods, and after school. It gives every student in the high school a chance to use his leisure time in a beneficial and pleasurable way.

News is submitted by reporters on the date set by the editor. The reporters hand the news to the typists, mimeographers, proof readers, and everyone is set busy. Mr. Downey supervises the publication.

The paper is four pages long, and is a record of past and future events that interest all pupils and teachers. The sales record of the News Static shows the appreciation of everyone and makes the paper self-supporting, too.

## THE STAFF

Editor, Algunda Frosch; Assistant Editor, Julia Seddelmeyer; Business Manager, Advertisement Manager, Ross Ehle; Production Manager, Alberta Fiedler; Typists, Martha Stemmler, Linda DeRemer, Mary Jane Judt, Ruth Minick; Artist, Julia Seddelmeyer; Mimeograph Operators, Linda DeRemer, Pauline Kohlenberg, June Headford, Eleanor Federspiel, Alice Niemeyer, Julia Seddelmeyer; Circulation Department, Evelyn Lichtsinn, Eleanor Federspiel, Virginia Miller, Alice Niemeyer, Pauline Werling, Barbara Seibert; Reporters, Max Neidhardt, Richard Snyder, Bill McIver, Martha Stemmler, Ione Hawkins, Bette Bell, June Headford, Betty Ruth Amstutz, Mary Ellen George, Joann Bandelier, Helen Gerber, Betty Larson, Helen Fultz, Wanda Putman, Kenneth Hammer, Marcille Bearman, Iona Bohn, Melvin Frosch, Walter Wiegman, Vernon Rebber, Barbara Seibert.



# THE ANNUAL REVIEWERS STAND



Mirage Staff: left picture, seated left to right: J. Bolyard, T. Wagstaff, H. Gerber, B. R. Amstutz, B. Bell, W. Putman, R. Ehle; standing: D. Purvis, editor; E. Myers, V. Linker, B. Seibert, B. Larson, W. Lepper, Miss Barnett, R. Wright, J. Larson, D. Mochring.

Right picture, seated left to right: E. Schnelker, D. Schlink, L. Robinette, E. Adams, D. Hill; standing: E. Stemmler, A. Oberlin, J. Wright, N. Harper, A. Heller, C. Romine, C. Freuchtenicht, A. L. Groves, V. Ruhl, R. Price.

"We want a leather cover on this year's edition of the Mirage," said Dan Purvis, the editor, to Mr. Young, the principal.

"Then you will have to pay the cost with extra advertising," advised the latter.

This was accomplished with the help of Ruth Price and Virginia Ruhl. The next idea was the Snapshot contest. Wanda Putman, Mildred Nuttle, and Orville McFadden were the winners of cash awards in that as announced at the assembly which began the circulation campaign in March. An all time record was set with the sale of 312 copies of the yearbook. Mr. Feasel's homeroom was the first 100% homeroom in subscribing for the yearbook.

The next job was securing action snapshots of as many school events as possible. Group and individual pictures were taken by Mr. Cron. Tom Wagstaff, Dan Purvis, and Joe Bolyard were in charge of all pictures.

Evelyn Myers and Milton Goeglein are largely responsible for the art work which appears in this book.

This book could not have been completed without the persistent work of Bette Bell, Betty Ruth Amstutz, and Wanda Putman as organizers planning the layout, securing write-ups, identifying pictures, mounting the engraver's proofs, and getting the book ready for the printer.

After weeks of discussion and committee meetings the staff members voted that the year would be most vividly remembered in terms of the cry for victory. They have tried to give a picture of the events of this school year as an indication of one way in which the students are working toward that goal of an education, the efficient use of each minute in the task at hand.

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TRAINEES IN ACTION



# STRIKE OUT THE ENEMY



First row, left to right :  
Joe Bolyard, Eugene  
Lepper. Second row: Art  
Hemsoth, Bill Bolyard,  
Fritz Poeppel, Don Mil-  
ler, Russell Meyer. Third  
row: Maurice Vonderau,  
Paul Bearman, Dale  
Ehle, Joe Wright, Mr.  
Smith, Parks Holt, Ed.  
Myer, and Arnold Heller.

This is the first year New Haven High School has participated in baseball for several years.

The Lions Club donated some of the equipment and suits to help the team get started. Several of the boys showed much interest and promise in baseball and for that reason baseball will probably be continued here in the future.

The boys who won letters in baseball this year are:

Art Hemsoth, pitcher and left fielder.	Eugene Lepper, second base
Butch Stellborn, right field.	Bill Bolyard, outfield.
Fritz Poeppel, third base.	Ed. Meyer, outfield.
Dale Ehle, pitcher and first base.	Maurice Vonderau, first base.
Don Miller, shortstop.	Joe Wright, outfield.
Parks Holt, catcher.	Arnold Heller, second base.
	Joe Bolyard, center field.

The Bulldogs played seven games and won all of them. This is a very remarkable record for the first year of competition. The scores were as follows:

New Haven 9	Chester 7
New Haven 3	Berne 2
New Haven 16	Clear Creek 3
New Haven 10	Roanoke 2
New Haven 4	Chester 0
New Haven 6	Berne 5
New Haven 13	Hoagland 0

The batteries for these games were Ehle and Hemsoth pitching with Holt catching. All three of these boys played fine ball throughout the season, but much credit must be given to the entire team for their timely hitting and fine fielding.

Mr. Smith and Mr. Feasel did a fine job of coaching and they believe the Bulldogs will have another fine team next year if the national affairs do not interfere with transportation.

# THEY SHOOT TO WIN

## BOX SCORES

	They	We			
Leo	30	29	Lafayette Central	30	54
Decatur Catholic	24	38	Berne	39	34
Monroeville	16	36	Hoagland	29	33
Decatur	28	26	Ossian	26	35
Berne	30	21	Auburn	27	23
Huntertown	24	42	Decatur	26	36
Central Catholic	23	21	Columbia City	28	40
Woodburn	25	29	Central Catholic	45	28
Elmhurst	37	36	Hoagland	25	24
Roanoke	46	42			



Top row: left to right: Joe Wright, Captain; Bill Bolyard, Don Miller. Second row: Hubert Burgette, Art Hemsoth, Fritz Poeppel, Parks Holt. Third row: Russell Meyer, Richard Rothgeb, Harold Parkison, Carl Fruechtenicht, yell leaders; Roland Bechtol. Absent: Elmer Stellhorn.

Hardly had the baseballs and bats been carried in than the basketballs began pouring into the hoops in after-school practice. Sixty Bulldogs tried out. Coach Smith and the team faced nineteen scheduled games besides the County Tournament and the Sectional.

Twelve games won and twelve lost does not show how a basket in the last minute effected the score in at least six of those contests. The breaks seemed to be consistently against the gold and purple.

The opening game with Leo gave a good taste of the thrills in store for enthusiastic fans. That basket in the last minute made the difference. Decatur Catholic was defeated on its home floor. The next five games gave us two and two; then Central Catholic tossed in a basket just before the gun sounded. Later Elmhurst presented an enemy basket in an overtime game.

In the County tournament, Hoagland finally beat the Bulldogs, who had won two games, with a basket in an overtime battle, then proceeded to take the tourney.

Art Hemsoth was leading scorer for the Bulldogs and placed fourth in the county.

No team would be complete without student managers. We were fortunate to have managers who took a personal interest in the players and took good care of the uniforms and equipment. Henry Walters has served faithfully for three years so was given a sweater this year. Dick Krueck, who will graduate too, has only been a student manager for one year, but has proved himself capable of handling the job. Dick also received a sweater for his part in keeping up the equipment. We might mention that Dick played on the reserve team before becoming a student manager.

To cheer the team on has been the work of the three cheerleaders, Richard Rothgeb, Carl Fruechtenicht, and Harold Parkison.

### INTRAMURALS

All boys who wished to participate in noon hour basketball games each Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, were asked to sign up last fall. The boys were divided into a Junior and Senior League on the basis of height and weight. Each League had one game each noon.

In the Senior League Kenneth Hammer's team won the tournament and the right to play Elmer Seelig's team in the play-off. The latter won that game in addition to ten out of fifteen in the tourney. Members of the team were: V. Asher, R. Ehinger, O. Melcher, H. Parkison, B. Scott, W. Stellhorn and E. Seelig.

In the same manner the Junior League produced the champions: D. Adams, R. Arnold, R. Bruick, D. Chevinan, D. Hill, D. Kelly, K. Klenke, J. Morrow.



Left to right: Russell Meyer, Fritz Poeppel, Joe Wright, Art Hemsoth, Hubert Burgette, Parks Holt, Roland Bechtol, Don Miller, Bill Bolyard.



# LETTERS PASSED BY CENSORS



First row, left to right: Art Hemsoth, Joe Wright, Russell Meyer, Bill Bolyard, Hubert Burgette. Second row: Dale Ehle, Don Miller, Roland Bechtol, Fritz Peoppel, and Parks Holt.

The boys of New Haven High School believed that there was a need for some extra-curricular club to afford an opportunity for fellowship. We are not sure just who originated the idea of a Lettermen's club. Once the idea was presented to the boys things really began to happen. A meeting was called, plans were suggested, and committees were appointed to investigate plans used by other schools. The plan used by North Side was the one which most appealed to us. However, we got ideas from other sources.

The first meeting was held at Coach Smith's house. The first part of the evening was spent in organizing the club, electing officers and writing a constitution. At this meeting Elmer (Butch) Stellhorn was elected president; Don Miller, vice-president; Art Hemsoth, treasurer; and Dale Ehle, secretary. The charter members present at this meeting were: Elmer Stellhorn, Joe Wright, Bill Bolyard, Dale Ehle, Fritz Peoppel, Don Miller, Art Hemsoth, and Hubert Burgette.

The boys of the Lettermen's Club feel that they have an organization that will appeal to boys who gain recognition in athletics and one that will also serve as a source of interest to them after graduation. It is the plan of the club to permit all lettermen who have graduated to become honorary members of the club.

It was felt that the club would have greater prestige if only those boys who receive major awards in baseball or basketball be admitted to active membership. Cheer leaders, managers, and minor awards are not satisfactory qualifications for membership.

The club plans to hold regular business meetings on the first and third Tuesday of each school month. Social meetings will be held at the discretion and desire of the membership.

An initiation of new members was held Sunday afternoon, April 18. Those taken in were: Roland Bechtol, Russell Meyers, Parks Holt, Maurice Vonderau, Ed. Meyer, Arnold Heller, Eugene Lepper, and Joe Bolyard.

# G. A. A. TRAINS FOR FITNESS

All girls interested in sports are encouraged to join the Girls' Athletic Association of New Haven High School. It is one of fifty-four such groups in Indiana. The girls participate in organized and unorganized athletic activities through their school years. Awards are given on the basis of points earned. The first award is a Winged Foot, given after 150 points are gained. The second award is a school letter given for earning 250 points, and the third award is given by the state association to any girl achieving a goal of 350 points.

The organized activities are such activities as physical education classes, required or elective, after school games, or after school dancing, swimming, and other similar activities all of which are carried on under the instruction of a teacher. They include volley ball, softball, and basket ball.

Tennis, skating, bicycling, and other similar activities which are carried on by the individuals outside of school and not under direct supervision of the teacher, are included in unorganized activities.

The officers for the year 1941-42 were: Evelyn Myers, president; Lois Amstutz, vice-president; Alice Tieman, treasurer; and Ruth Wright, secretary.

The executive committee appointed managers for several unorganized activities. The duties of the managers are to help plan and manage their particular activity. The managers are: Iona Bohn, ping pong; Martha Stemmler, skating; Florence Hoevel, volley ball; Phyllis Edgar, tumbling; Eleonora Rebber, basketball; Elna Becker, hiking.

Girls may also earn points by participating in intramurals at noon on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Approximately seventy girls took part in volley ball and basketball. The girls were divided into teams and then an elimination tournament was held. In volley ball two teams were tied. The members of these teams were V. Linker, captain; B. R. Amstutz, V. Byers, E. Stemmler, A. Tieman, B. Cook, E. Becker, E. Griffith, G. Dressen, and the second team: M. Stemmler, captain; R. Wright, D. Schlink, B. Swihart, E. Schmelker, N. Milliman, E. Forsyth, G. Ehinger, J. Larson.

The Junior team with Alice Oberlin as their captain won the basket ball tournament. The members of this champion team were: D. Schlink, B. Swihart, E. Stemmler, E. Schmelker, L. Amstutz, E. Rebber, D. Rothgeb.



Bottom row, left to right: M. Stemmler, L. Rebber, F. Hoevel, V. Linker, E. Myers, A. Tieman, L. Amstutz, R. Wright, Miss Barnett. Second row: I. Bohn, L. Rebber, E. Rebber, M. B. Hodson, G. Dressen, M. Springer, K. Goegelein, V. Byers, J. Larson. Third row: E. Griffith, L. Petry, A. Oberlin, E. Stemmler, D. Schlink, P. Edgar, B. Larson, M. Lampe. Top row: L. DeRemer, W. Lepper, E. Rebber, B. R. Amstutz, P. Neumann, H. Fultz, D. Kitchen, H. Gerber, J. Martin.





1. "Boys afraid?" Miss Daniels and her senior girls' English Class. 2. "That's right, Kenny." Miss Leininger's English Class. 3. "Busy at work on Defense Posters." Miss Walter and a group of art students. 4. "Ready!" Mr. Guthrie at Band Practice. 5. "Watch those errors." A scene from Mr. Downey's Typing Class. 6. "Discussing world affairs." A scene in the hall. 7. "Keep em' smilin'". Discussing world events in Miss Hathaway's History Class. 8. "Do you want a pink slip?" Mrs. Redman and members of the Physics Class. 9. "Interesting?" Mr. Pensinger's mechanical drawing class. 10. "Is that the right angle?" A scene in Mr. Marshall's Geometry class.









The pictures on page 42 represent leading school functions. Pictures 1, 2, 3, on this page were winners in the Snapshot Contest. W. Putman submitted the '42 class taken in '34. M. Nuttle placed second with her band picture; O. McFadden placed third with the school bus close-up of D. Rothgeb and C. Bandelier.

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